## **HOUSE BILL No. 1564**

#### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 6-1.1-37-7; IC 6-3-2-4; IC 10-16; IC 21-13; IC 22-4.1-4-3; IC 22-9-10; IC 33-23-9-1; IC 35-52-10.

**Synopsis:** Various military matters. Provides for the rights, benefits, and protections of the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (Act) to apply to members of the armed forces on active duty or, if applicable, the spouse or dependent of a member of the armed forces on active duty. (Current law provides for the rights, benefits, and protections of the Act to apply to members of the Indiana national guard on active duty.) Changes references to the federal Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act to the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. Creates the Indiana Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. Provides that protections under the Indiana Servicemembers Civil Relief Act shall supplement protections for servicemembers under the federal Act. Requires, under certain circumstances, the department of workforce development to give a member of the armed forces of the United States or Reserve Component of the armed forces of the United States or the spouse of a member of the armed forces of the United States or Reserve Component of the armed forces priority for placement in any federal or state employment or training program administered by the department of workforce development. (Current law provides that this priority be given only to members of the National Guard or their spouses.) Changes the name of the National Guard tuition supplement program to the Reserve Component tuition supplement program (program). (Continued next page)

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Allows members of the Indiana reserve component of the armed forces to receive a scholarship from the program. Makes certain changes to the program. Provides funding for the program. Provides employment protections for veterans. Creates a private right of action for veterans regarding employment law violations. Allows members of the uniformed services to receive a leave of absence from work for purposes of medical treatment for certain wounds, injuries, or illness. Makes an appropriation.



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## **HOUSE BILL No. 1564**

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning military and veterans and to make an appropriation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 6-1.1-37-7, AS AMENDED BY P.L.80-2014
SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 7. (a) If a person fails to file a required personal
property return on or before the due date, the county auditor shall add
a penalty of twenty-five dollars (\$25) to the person's next property tax
installment. The county auditor shall also add an additional penalty to
the taxes payable by the person if the person fails to file the personal
property return within thirty (30) days after the due date. The amount
of the additional penalty is twenty percent (20%) of the taxes finally
determined to be due with respect to the personal property which
should have been reported on the return.

- (b) For purposes of this section, a personal property return is not due until the expiration of any extension period granted by the township or county assessor under IC 6-1.1-3-7(b).
  - (c) The penalties prescribed under this section do not apply to an



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individual or the individual's dependents if the individual:

- (1) is in the military or naval forces of the United States on the assessment date; and
- (2) is covered by the federal Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act. Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. 501 et seq.).
- (d) If a person subject to IC 6-1.1-3-7(d) fails to include on a personal property return the information, if any, that the department of local government finance requires under IC 6-1.1-3-9 or IC 6-1.1-5-13, the county auditor shall add a penalty to the property tax installment next due for the return. The amount of the penalty is twenty-five dollars (\$25).
- (e) If the total assessed value that a person reports on a personal property return is less than the total assessed value that the person is required by law to report and if the amount of the undervaluation exceeds five percent (5%) of the value that should have been reported on the return, then the county auditor shall add a penalty of twenty percent (20%) of the additional taxes finally determined to be due as a result of the undervaluation. The penalty shall be added to the property tax installment next due for the return on which the property was undervalued. If a person has complied with all of the requirements for claiming a deduction, an exemption, or an adjustment for abnormal obsolescence, then the increase in assessed value that results from a denial of the deduction, exemption, or adjustment for abnormal obsolescence is not considered to result from an undervaluation for purposes of this subsection.
- (f) If a person required by IC 6-1.1-3-7.2(k) to file an annual certification with the county assessor fails to timely file the annual certification, the county auditor shall impose a penalty of twenty-five dollars (\$25) that must be paid by the person with the next property tax installment that is collected.
- (g) A penalty is due with an installment under subsection (a), (d), (e), or (f) whether or not an appeal is filed under IC 6-1.1-15-5 with respect to the tax due on that installment.

SECTION 2. IC 6-3-2-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.6-2012, SECTION 49, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 4. (a) Each taxable year, an individual, or the individual's surviving spouse, is entitled to an adjusted gross income tax deduction for the first five fifteen thousand dollars (\$5,000) (\$15,000) of military income, including retirement or survivor's benefits, received during the taxable year by the individual, or the individual's surviving spouse, for the individual's service in an active or reserve component of the armed forces of the United States,



including the army, navy, air force, coast guard, marine corps,
merchant marine, Indiana army national guard, or Indiana air national
guard. However, a person who is less than sixty (60) years of age on the
last day of the person's taxable year, is not, for that taxable year,
entitled to a deduction under this section for retirement or survivor's
benefits.
(b) An individual whose qualified military income is subtracted

- (b) An individual whose qualified military income is subtracted from the individual's federal adjusted gross income under IC 6-3-1-3.5(a)(21) for Indiana individual income tax purposes is not, for that taxable year, entitled to a deduction under this section for the individual's qualified military income.
- SECTION 3. IC 10-16-7-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 4. An employer who knowingly or intentionally refuses to allow a member of the Indiana national guard or reserve component of the armed forces of the United States to attend any assembly at which the member has a duty to perform under this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor.
- SECTION 4. IC 10-16-7-23 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 23. (a) As used in this section, "active duty" means:
  - (1) training or duty under federal law; or
- (2) state active duty under section 7 of this chapter; performed under an order of the governor.
- (b) The rights, benefits, and protections of the federal Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act, Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. App. 501 et seq., as amended and in effect on January 1, 2003, apply to:
  - (1) a member of the Indiana national guard ordered to active duty for at least thirty (30) consecutive days;
  - (2) an individual on active duty serving in the armed forces of the United States; or
  - (3) a spouse or dependent of an individual described in subdivision (1) or (2), if applicable.
- (c) The rights, benefits, and protections of the federal Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act, 38 U.S.C. 4301 et seq., as amended and in effect on January 1, 2003, apply to a member of the Indiana national guard ordered to active duty.
- (d) Nothing in this section shall be construed as a restriction or limitation on any of the rights, benefits, and protections granted to a member of the Indiana national guard under federal law.
- SECTION 5. IC 10-16-20 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE



1	JULY 1, 2015]:
2	Chapter 20. Indiana Servicemembers Civil Relief Act
3	Sec. 1. This chapter is intended to supplement rights and
4	protections provided in the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief
5	Act (50 U.S.C. 501 et seq.).
6	Sec. 2. The following definitions apply throughout this chapter:
7	(1) "Court" means a court or an administrative agency of the
8	United States or of any state, including a political subdivision
9	of a state, whether or not a court or administrative agency of
10	record.
l 1	(2) "Dependent", with respect to the servicemember, means:
12	(A) the servicemember's spouse;
13	(B) the servicemember's child; or
14	(C) an individual for whom the servicemember provided
15	more than one-half $(1/2)$ of the individual's support for at
16	least one hundred eighty (180) days immediately preceding
17	an application for relief under this chapter.
18	(3) "Judgment" means any judgment, decree, order, or ruling
19	final or temporary.
20	(4) "Military service":
21	(A) in the case of a servicemember who is a member of the
22	United States Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, or
23	Coast Guard, means full-time duty in the active military
24	service of the United States, including:
25	(i) full-time training duty;
26	(ii) annual training duty; and
27	(iii) attendance;
28	while in the active military service, at a school designated
29	as a service school by federal law or by the Secretary of the
30	military department concerned;
31	(B) in the case of a member of the National Guard, means
32	service under a call to active service authorized by the
33	President of the United States or the Secretary of Defense
34	of the United States for a period of more than thirty (30)
35	days responding to a national emergency declared by the
36	President of the United States;
37	(C) in the case of a servicemember who is a commissioned
38	officer of the United States Public Health Service or the
39	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, means
10	active service;
<del>1</del> 1	(D) for a servicemember of the Indiana National Guard,
12	means active duty (as defined by IC 10-16-7-23(a)) for a



1	period of more than thirty (30) consecutive days; or
2	(E) means any period during which a servicemember is
3	absent from duty on account of sickness, wounds, leave, or
4	other lawful cause.
5	(5) "Period of service" means the period beginning on the
6	date on which a servicemember enters military service and
7	ending on the date on which the servicemember is released
8	from military service or dies while in military service.
9	(6) "State" includes:
10	(A) a commonwealth, territory, or possession of the United
11	States; and
12	(B) the District of Columbia.
13	Sec. 3. (a) The dependent of a servicemember has the same
14	rights and protections provided to a servicemember under Title II
15	of the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. 501 et
16	seq.).
17	(b) In any civil action or proceeding against the dependent of a
18	servicemember, the plaintiff shall serve or mail, by registered or
19	certified mail, a written notice on a form prescribed by the office
20	of the United States attorney general.
21	(c) For purposes of this chapter, the court shall presume that the
22	defendant is not the dependent of a servicemember if either of the
23	following apply:
24	(1) Notice is served at least twenty (20) days before an
25	application for default judgment, and the defendant fails to
26	timely respond.
27	(2) Notice is mailed to the defendant at least twenty-four (24)
28	days before an application for default judgment, and the
29	defendant fails to timely respond.
30	(d) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit the
31	plaintiff from extending the response time beyond twenty (20)
32	days.
33	(e) A person who knowingly or intentionally makes or uses an
34	affidavit permitted under Title II of the federal Servicemembers
35	Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. 501 et seq.) that is false commits
36	perjury, a Level 6 felony under IC 35-44.1-2-1.
37	Sec. 4. (a) In addition to the rights and protections regarding
38	consumer transactions, contracts, and service providers included
39	in Title III of the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50
40	U.S.C. 501 et seq.), a servicemember may terminate a contract
41	described in subsection (b) at any time after the date the
42	servicemember receives military orders to relocate for a period of



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1	not less than ninety (90) days to a location that does not support the
2	contract.
3	(b) For purposes of this section, a contract includes the
4	provision of any of the following:
5	(1) Telecommunication services.
6	(2) Internet services.
7	(3) Television services.
8	(4) Athletic club or gym memberships.
9	(5) Satellite radio services.
10	(c) Termination of a contract shall be made by delivery of a
11	written or electronic notice of the termination and a copy of the
12	servicemember's military orders to the service provider. If a
13	servicemember terminates a contract, the service provider shal
14	provide the servicemember with a written or electronic notice o
15	the servicemember's rights.
16	(d) For any contract terminated under this section, the service
17	provider under the contract may not impose an early termination
18	charge, but any tax or any other obligation or liability of the
19	servicemember that, in accordance with the terms of the contract
20	is due and unpaid or unperformed at the time of termination of the
21	contract shall be paid or performed by the servicemember.
22	(e) If the servicemember resubscribes to the service provided
23	under a covered contract during the ninety (90) day period
24	beginning on the last day of the servicemember's period o
25	relocation, the service provider may not impose a charge for
26	reinstating service, other than the usual and customary charges for
27	the installation or acquisition of customer equipment imposed or
28	any other subscriber.
29	(f) Not later than sixty (60) days after the effective date of the
30	termination of a contract under this section, the service provide
31	under the contract shall refund to the servicemember any fee or
32	other amount to the extent paid for a period extending until after
33	that date, except for the remainder of the monthly or similar
34	billing period in which the billing period occurs.
35	Sec. 5. A civil action to enforce this chapter may be brought by
36	the attorney general against any person who violates any provision
37	of this chapter. However, a civil action may not proceed if relie
38	from the violation has already been granted.

SECTION 6. IC 21-13-1-5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.205-2013, SECTION 315, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 5. "Fund":

(1) for purposes of IC 21-13-2, refers to the minority teacher



1	scholarship fund established by IC 21-13-2-1;
2	(2) for purposes of IC 21-13-4, refers to the National Guard
3	Reserve Component of the armed forces of the United States
4	tuition supplement program fund established by IC 21-13-4-1;
5	(3) for purposes of IC 21-13-5, refers to the National Guard
6	scholarship extension fund established by IC 21-13-5-1; and
7	(4) for purposes of IC 21-13-6, refers to the primary care
8	physician loan forgiveness fund established by IC 21-13-6-3.
9	SECTION 7. IC 21-13-4-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.234-2007.
10	SECTION 59, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
11	JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 1. (a) The National Guard Reserve Component
12	of the armed forces of the United States tuition supplement program
13	fund is established to provide the financial resources necessary to
14	award the tuition scholarships authorized under the program.
15	(b) The commission shall administer the fund.
16	(c) The expenses of administering the fund shall be paid from
17	money in the fund.
18	(d) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert
19	to the state general fund but remains available to be used for providing
20	money for national guard Reserve Component of the armed forces
21	of the United States tuition supplement scholarships under this
22	chapter.
23	SECTION 8. IC 21-13-4-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.2-2007, SECTION
24	254, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
25	1, 2015]: Sec. 2. Money in the National Guard Reserve Component of
26	the armed forces of the United States tuition supplement program
27	fund shall be used to provide annual scholarships to scholarship
28	applicants in an amount that is equal to one (1) of the following
29	amounts:
30	(1) If the scholarship applicant does not receive other financial
31	assistance specifically designated for educational costs, the
32	amount equal to a full tuition scholarship to attend the state
33	educational institution.
34	(2) If the scholarship applicant receives other financial assistance
35	specifically designated for educational costs, the amount:
36	(A) equal to the balance required to attend the state
37	educational institution; and
38	(B) not to exceed the amount described in subdivision (1).
39	(3) If the scholarship applicant receives financial assistance
40	under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, the
41	amount equal to the balance required to attend the state
42	educational institution. The amount may not exceed the

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1	amount described in subdivision (1).
2	SECTION 9. IC 21-13-4-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.281-2013,
3	SECTION 32, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
4	JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 3. (a) Subject to subsections (b) and (c), each
5	scholarship awarded under this chapter:
6	(1) may be renewed under this chapter for a total scholarship
7	award that does not exceed the equivalent of the number of terms
8	that constitutes four (4) undergraduate academic years; and
9	(2) is subject to other eligibility criteria as established by the
10	commission.
11	(b) Any benefits awarded under this chapter may not be
12	renewed if the eligible individual fails to maintain at least the
13	following cumulative grade point average:
14	(1) For credit hours applicable to the equivalent of the
15	applicant's freshman academic year, a cumulative grade point
16	average that the eligible institution determines is satisfactory
17	academic progress.
18	(2) For credit hours applicable to the equivalent of the
19	applicant's sophomore academic year, a cumulative grade
20	point average of 2.25 on a 4.0 grading scale or its equivalent
21	as established by the eligible institution.
22	(3) For credit hours applicable to the equivalent of the
23	applicant's junior or senior academic year, a cumulative
24	grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 grading scale or its
25	equivalent as established by the eligible institution.
26	(c) After the first semester or its equivalent at the eligible
27	institution that an eligible individual does not achieve the requisite
28	cumulative grade point average specified in subsection (b), the
29	individual is considered to be on probation and must achieve the
30	requisite cumulative grade point average by the next semester or
31	its equivalent at the eligible institution in order to continue to
32	receive benefits under this chapter.
33	(d) In establishing eligibility criteria under subsection (a)(2), the
34	commission shall allow individuals who are serving in the Indiana
35	Reserve Component of the armed forces of the United States to
36	receive a scholarship under this chapter.
37	SECTION 10. IC 21-13-4-4 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
38	AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
39	1, 2015]: Sec. 4. There is annually appropriated to the Reserve
40	Component of the armed forces of the United States tuition
41	supplement program fund from the state general fund an amount
42	necessary to fully fund scholarships provided under this chapter.



1	SECTION 11. IC 22-4.1-4-3, AS ADDED BY P.L.11-2007,
2	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3	JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 3. (a) As used in this section, "active duty"
4	component" means full-time service in the National Guard for more
5	than thirty (30) consecutive days in a calendar year; active service in
6	the armed forces of the United States.
7	(b) As used in this section, "armed forces of the United States"
8	means:
9	(1) the United States Air Force;
10	(2) the United States Army;
11	(3) the United States Coast Guard;
12	(4) the United States Marine Corps; or
13	(5) the United States Navy.
14	(b) (c) As used in this section, "National Guard" "reserve
15	component" means:
16	(1) the Indiana Army National Guard; <del>or</del>
17	(2) the Indiana Air National Guard; or
18	(3) a reserve component of the armed forces of the United
19	States.
20	(c) (d) This section applies to a member of the armed forces of the
21	United States or National Guard a reserve component who is:
22	(1) is a resident of Indiana; and or
23	(2) an individual who serves on in an active duty component in
24	Indiana.
25	(d) (e) Unless otherwise provided by federal law, the department
26	shall give a member of the armed forces of the United States or
27	National Guard a reserve component or the spouse of a member of the
28	armed forces of the United States or National Guard a reserve
29	<b>component</b> priority for placement in any federal or state employment
30	or training program administered by the department if the member or
31	the member's spouse:
32	(1) submits documentation satisfactory to the department
33	establishing the dates of the member's active service; and
34	(2) meets the eligibility requirements for the program.
35	(e) (f) The priority status under subsection (d) (e) for a member of
36	the armed forces of the United States or National Guard a reserve
37	component expires one (1) year after the date the member is
38	discharged or released from active duty. service in the armed forces
39	of the United States.
40	(f) (g) The priority status under subsection (d) (e) for the spouse of
41	a member of the armed forces of the United States or National Guard

a reserve component expires on the date the member is discharged or



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1	released from active duty. service in the armed forces of the United
2	States.
3	SECTION 12. IC 22-9-10-7.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
4	CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
5	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 7.5. As used in this chapter
6	"liquidated damages" means twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) or
7	the amount equal to the actual damages, whichever is greater.
8	SECTION 13. IC 22-9-10-9, AS ADDED BY P.L.136-2014
9	SECTION 5, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
10	JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 9. It is an unlawful employment practice for ar
11	employer to discriminate against a prospective employee on the basis
12	of status as a veteran by:
13	(1) refusing to employ an applicant for employment on the basis
14	that the applicant is a veteran of the armed forces of the United
15	States; <del>or</del>
16	(2) refusing to employ an applicant for employment on the basis
17	that the applicant is a member of the Indiana National Guard or
18	a member of a reserve component; <b>or</b>
19	(3) asking an applicant for employment whether the applicant
20	is a member of a reserve component of the armed forces of the
21	United States.
22	SECTION 14. IC 22-9-10-9.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
23	CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
24	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 9.5. (a) This section applies to
25	members of the uniformed services.
26	(b) It is an unlawful employment practice for an employer to
27	refuse to allow a leave of absence from work for an employee who
28	(1) is; or
29	(2) was;
30	a member of the uniformed services to obtain medical treatment
31	for a wound, injury, or illness incurred or aggravated during a
32	period of service in the uniformed services. An employee shall
33	provide the employer written verification by a physician that the
34	employee is being treated for a wound, injury, or illness described
35	in this subsection.
36	(c) This section may not be construed as a restriction or
37	limitation on any of the rights, benefits, and protections granted to
38	a member of the uniformed services under federal law.
39	(d) The commission, in collaboration with the department of
40	veterans affairs, shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to implement
41	this section.

SECTION 15. IC 22-9-10-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.136-2014,



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SECTION 5, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 13. (a) The commission may adopt and enforce
rules under IC 4-22-2 that are necessary to carry out this chapter.
Except as provided under subsection (b), these rules must not be in
conflict with the federal rules adopted under the employment
discrimination provisions of the federal Uniformed Services
Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA), P.L.103-353
(38 U.S.C. 4301 et seg.).

- (b) A person injured by a violation of section 9 of this chapter may bring a civil action for:
  - (1) actual damages caused by the violation;
  - (2) treble damages;

- (3) liquidated damages; and
- (4) costs and reasonable attorney's fees.
- (c) Injunctive relief shall be granted to prevent or correct a violation of section 9 of this chapter.
- (d) After June 30, 2015, an agreement to submit disputes under the federal Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA), P.L.103-353 (38 U.S.C. 4301 et seq.) to binding arbitration is void.

SECTION 16. IC 22-9-10-15, AS ADDED BY P.L.136-2014, SECTION 5, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 15. Each employer subject to this chapter shall provide notice of this chapter in a format accessible to applicants, describing the applicable provisions of this chapter. The department shall assist the commission in devising language for the use of an employer that complies with this chapter and any rules adopted under section 13 13(a) of this chapter.

SECTION 17. IC 33-23-9-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 1. (a) An Indiana state court may grant the rights, benefits, and protections described in Section 513 of the federal Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. App. 513, as amended and in effect on January 1, 2003, Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. 501 et seq.) to a person primarily or secondarily liable on an obligation or a liability of: an:

- **(1) a reserve component** Indiana national guard member to whom IC 10-16-7-23 applies;
- (2) an individual on active duty serving in the armed forces of the United States; or
- (3) a spouse or dependent of an individual described in subdivision (1) or (2), if applicable.
- (b) All rights, benefits, and protections granted to a person under



1	subsection (a) are in addition to the rights, benefits, and protections
2	granted the person under the federal Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief
3	Act, 50 U.S.C. App. 501 et seq., as amended and in effect on January
4	1, 2003. Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. 501 et seq.).
5	SECTION 18. IC 35-52-10-6, AS ADDED BY P.L.169-2014,
6	SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
7	JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 6. IC 10-16-7-4 defines a crime concerning
8	Indiana military code. the military.
9	SECTION 19. IC 35-52-10-7.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
10	CODE AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
11	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 7.3. IC 10-16-20-3 defines a crime
12	concerning perjury.

